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Recent Crime Summary

March 27, 2020

Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received

Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a press release

Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 03/15/20 to 03/21/20

MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.

1st District

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

2nd District

D1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/14 and 03/20. Affected streets included Pickwick Lane, Lynnhurst Street, Bybrook Lane, Greenvale Road, and the area of East West Highway and Beach Drive. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

Description of suspect seen at the Pickwick Lane theft:

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

E1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 03/17 and 12:00 p.m. on 03/18. One theft occurred in the 5400 block of Duvall Drive and one theft occurred in the 5100 block of River Road. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E2 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/15 and 03/17. Affected streets included Aberdeen Road, Rolston Road, and Greentree Road. No force; money was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

3rd District

G1 Beat:

Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/15 and 03/20. Affected streets included the 8100-8300 blocks of Fenton Street and the 8100 block of Bonaire Street. Force was reported in two events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

G2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/17 and 03/21. Affected streets included Dale
Drive, Harmon Road, Pennydog Court, Evans Drive, Duvawn Place, Eton Road, and Flower
Avenue. Force was reported in three events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 03/19 and 8:30 a.m. on 03/20. One theft occurred in the 500 block of Domer Avenue and one theft occurred in the 700 block of Forston Street. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/13 and 03/20. Affected streets included Schindler Drive, East Light Drive, Moffet Road, Greenock Road, Cottrell Terrace, and Kinloch Road. Force was reported in two events; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/16 and 03/21. Affected streets included
Aventurine Way, Columbia Pike, Old Columbia Pike, Lockwood Drive, and Clifton Road. Force was
reported in multiple events; money and property were taken.

Description of suspect seen at the Aventurine Way theft:

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

12 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included the 14000 block of Castle Boulevard and the 13800 block of Outlet Drive. Force was reported in two events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

Description of suspect seen at one of the Castle Boulevard thefts:

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

4th District

J1 Beat:

• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included Coachlamp Lane, Northcrest Drive, Morningside Lane, and Tamarack Road. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 03/16 and 03/21. Affected streets included Loganberry Court, Softwood Terrace, Astrid Court, and Little Vista Terrace. Force was reported in one event; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K1 Beat:

• Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 03/14 and 03/19. Affected streets included Beaverwood Lane, Hewitt Avenue, Georgia Avenue, and the area of Grand Pre Road, and Connecticut Avenue. Force was reported in two events; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 13200 block of May Court between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 03/17 and 7:45 a.m. on 03/18. No force; money was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 03/16 and 03/19. One theft occurred in the 3300 block of Moline Road and one theft occurred in the 2200 block of Georgian Woods Place. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 11500 block of College View Drive between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 03/18 1:00 p.m. on 03/20. No force; money was taken.

5th District

M1 Beat:

 Four thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/14 and 03/19. Affected streets included Halethorpe Lane, Aldburg Way, Flowerton Place, and Queen Nicole Terrace. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N1 Beat:

 Two attempted thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/18 and 03/21. One theft occurred in the 12500 block of Spring Harbor Place and one theft occurred in the area of Larentia Drive and Demetrias Way.

No suspect(s) information available

N2 Beat:

• An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 13600 block of Palmetto Circle between 7:00 p.m. on 03/20 and 2:20 p.m. on 03/21.

No suspect(s) information available

6th District

P3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 7900 block of Bounding Bend Court at approximately 9:53 p.m. on 03/18. No force; money and property were taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: W/M, mid 20s

R1 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 03/15 and 03/19. Affected streets included Emory Grove Road, Bobwhite Circle, and Turtle Dove Terrace. No force; money and property were taken.

R2 Beat:

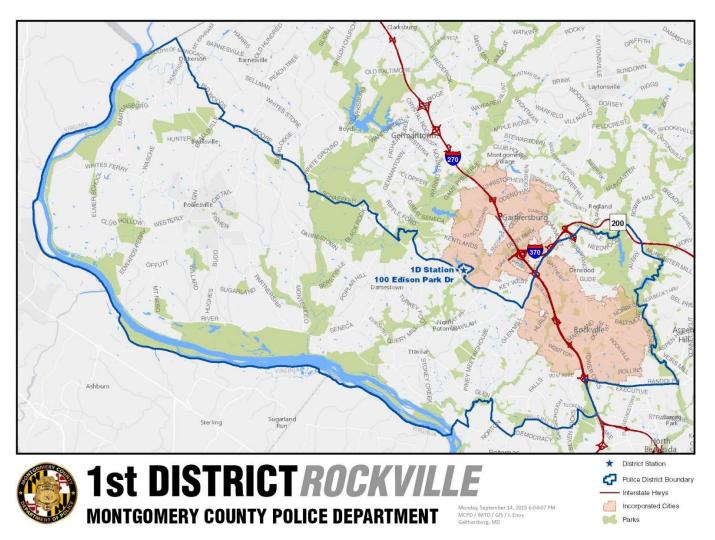
• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 03/16 and 03/19. Affected streets included the 19000 block of Capehart Drive and the 10300 block of Apple Ridge Road. Force was reported in two events; property was taken.

A suspect was arrested for the Capehart Drive thefts:

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 17; of Montgomery Village

R3 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 03/10 and 03/18. Affected streets included Beavercreek Lane, Cross Country Lane, Rickenbacker Drive, Airpark Road, Cessna Avenue, Earhart Court, and Fertile Meadow Court. Force was reported in four events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.



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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

A1 Beat:

A2 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A4 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B2 Beat:

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B3 Beat:

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D2 Beat:

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D3 Beat:

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D4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E1 Beat:

A residential garage burglary and vehicle theft occurred at the same residence in the 5000 block
of Brookdale Road between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 03/18 and 5:00 a.m. on 03/19. No signs of
forced entry, the vehicle key was reported to have been left inside the vehicle.

No suspect(s) information available

E2 Beat:

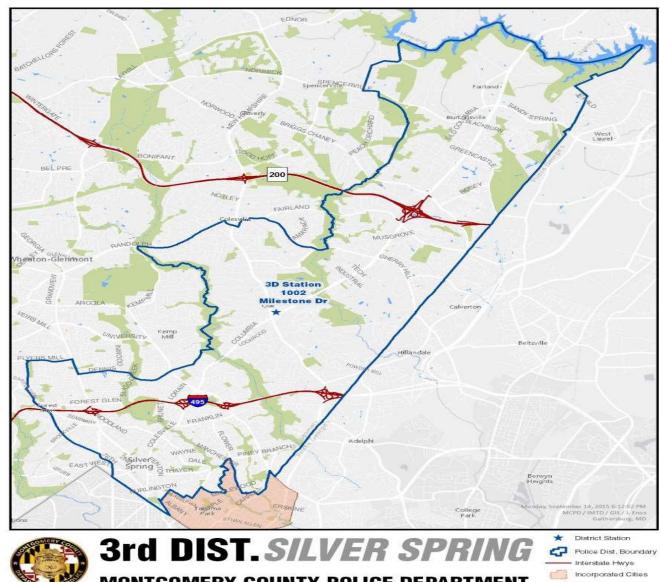
• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 9300 block of Kingsley Avenue between approximately 9:30 p.m. on 03/19 and 9:45 a.m. on 03/20. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

E3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E4 Beat:



MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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G1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the area of Georgia Avenue and Thayer Avenue at approximately 7:20 p.m. on 03/17. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with the key inside.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown

In the 8400 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 8:00 p.m. and 8:10 p.m. on 03/20. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with the key left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

A commercial burglary and three vehicle thefts occurred at M & D Auto Body located at 926
Sligo Avenue between approximately 6:10 p.m. on 03/17 and 6:20 a.m. on 03/18. Forced entry; the
vehicles were all reported to have been left unlocked with the keys inside. Two vehicles were
recovered on 03/18.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted commercial burglary** occurred at *Atlantic Guns* located at 944 Bonifant Street between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 03/20 and 9:00 a.m. on 03/21.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Check Cash Depot* located at 7900 Georgia Avenue in the early morning hours of 03/23. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

G2 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Quattro Auto Body* located at 9151 Brookville Road between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 03/13 and 8:00 a.m. on 03/16. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 10300 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 03/15 and 1:00 p.m. on 03/21. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

No suspect(s) information available

 A vehicle theft and theft from vehicle occurred at the same residence in the 10200 block of Douglas Avenue between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 03/17 and 8:15 a.m. on 03/18. No force; the vehicle key was reported to have been left inside one of the vehicles and used to steal the other vehicle.

H1 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Gilbert Place and Gilbert Street between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 03/14 and 1:00 p.m. on 03/15. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 03/15.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

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I1 Beat:

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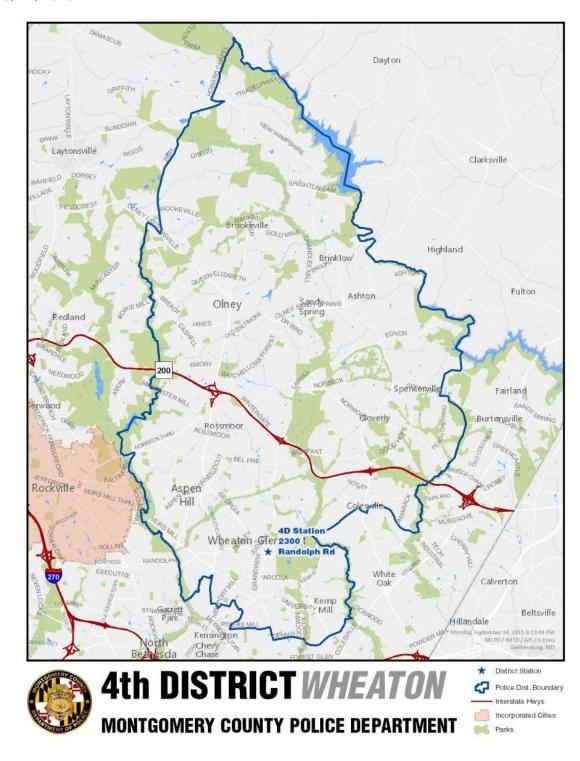
12 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 14300 block of Beaker Court between approximately 7:30 p.m. on 03/20 and 7:30 a.m. on 03/21. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Wireless Vision* located at 13824 Outlet Drive in the early morning hours of 03/21. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown



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J1 Beat:

 An armed robbery occurred in the 2000 block of Greenery Lane at approximately 8:30 p.m. on 03/17. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and took his money and property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 H/Ms, approximately age 35 H/F, approximately age 25

J2 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Empire Café* located at 22301 Georgia Avenue in the early morning hours of 03/19. Forced entry; money was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: W/M, age unknown

K1 Beat:

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 3100 block of Beaverwood Lane between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 03/14 and 4:00 p.m. on 03/17.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 3100 block of Beaverwood Lane in the early morning hours of 03/16. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 03/16.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 B/Ms, ages 13-16

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 3100 block of Hewitt Avenue between approximately 4:20 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. on 03/17. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *Dunkin Donuts* located at 12200 Veirs Mill Road at approximately 4:55 a.m. on 03/19. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects stole money.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, no further description

L1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 12000 block of Milton Street between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 03/16 and 8:00 a.m. on 03/17. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with the key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 03/18. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 17; of Silver Spring Juvenile male, age 16; of Silver Spring Juvenile male, age 15; of Silver Spring

➤ In the area of Claridge Court and Claridge Road between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 03/16 and 9:30 a.m. on 03/17.Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

• A **burglary** occurred at *Glen Haven Elementary School* located at 10900 Inwood Avenue at approximately 9:45 p.m. on 03/21. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

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M1 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Walmart* located at 20910 Frederick Road in the early morning hours of 03/18. Forced entry; property was taken. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Kevin Becraft, age 42; of Germantown

• An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 20000 block of Appledowre Circle at approximately 2:19 p.m. on 03/20.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

M2 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

M3 Beat:

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N1 Beat:

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N2 Beat:

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N3 Beat:

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P3 Beat:

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R1 Beat:

A vehicle theft occurred in the 18300 block of Contour Road at approximately 7:35 p.m. on 03/16.
 No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running with the key in in the ignition.

No suspect(s) information available

R2 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 9200 block of Chadburn Place between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 03/01 and 7:00 p.m. on 03/20. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the area of Watkins Mill Road and Apple Ridge Road between approximately 10:00 a.m. on 03/13 and 10:54 a.m. on 03/16. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

A vehicle theft occurred in the 7500 block of Lindbergh Drive in the early morning hours of 03/14.
 Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

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